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PATENT APPLICATION

Docket: 6300.103

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Robert W. McClane et al.

Serial No.: 10/040,883

Filed: January 7, 2002

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RAMAN
IMAGING OF MACULAR PIGMENTS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the two-month period that was set for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 13, 2002 be extended for three months until July 13, 2002.

Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 including the amount of \$460.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

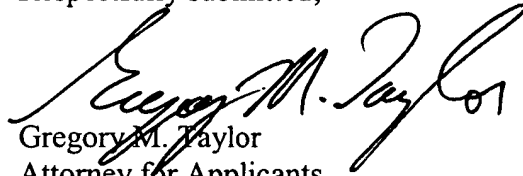
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Dated this 10th day of July 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gregory M. Taylor", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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